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5 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
6 FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
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8 PATRICIA A MCCOLM,

No. C 09-04132 SI

9 Plaintiff,

**ORDER RE: PLAINTIFF'S REQUEST FOR
MODIFICATION**

10 v.

11 FOREMOST INSURANCE CO,

12 Defendant.
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14 On September 28, 2010, the Court filed an Order directing plaintiff not to fax letters or filings
15 to the Court. Doc. 73. On October 26, the Court received a request to modify that Order and permit
16 plaintiff to fax the Court in limited circumstances, and in particular when she wishes a request for
17 accommodation of her disability. Defendant opposes plaintiff's request.

18 The Court hereby GRANTS plaintiff's request and modifies the second paragraph of its previous
19 Order as follows:

20 Fax is not a preferred method of communicating with the Court. Plaintiff is directed to
21 communicate with the court by mail, by delivering filings directly to the courthouse, or by electronic
22 filing. When it is necessary for plaintiff to file papers in an expedited manner in relation to proceedings
23 before Judge Illston, she may fax such filings to (415) 522-2184. Plaintiff is also directed to follow
24 normal filing procedures and mail or deliver the filings to the courthouse, or file them electronically.
25 Plaintiff also needs to be aware that faxes sent to the above number may not reach the Court more
26 quickly than filings sent by mail, and filings left until the last minute may become moot if they do not
27 reach the Court in time.

28 If it is necessary for plaintiff to file papers in an expedited manner in relation to proceedings

1 before another Judge, she may request an accommodation from that Judge directly, and nothing in this
2 Order shall be construed to require that Judge to grant or deny her request.

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5 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

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7 Dated: November 12, 2010



SUSAN ILLSTON
United States District Judge